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Applicant(s): Y. BATORI, et al.

Group Art 2672

Serial No.: 10/077,315

Examiner: Eric V. WOODS

Filed: February 14, 2002

For: THREE-DIMENSIONAL CAD ATTRIBUTE INFORMATION PRESENTATION
(as amended)

TRANSMITTAL OF RELATED PENDING APPLICATIONS 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)2(iii)

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Transmitted herewith is a Related Case Submission listing related pending applications of the above-identified application, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)2(iii).

- ☐ A copy of each cited pending application is attached.
- ☐ A copy of each related application(s) was submitted in parent application serial no. _____, filed _____.
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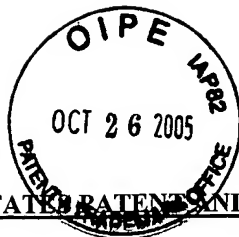
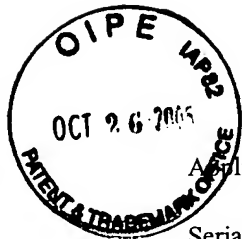
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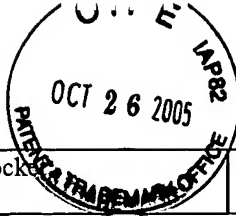
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